**PATENT** 

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Arnold G. Slezak

Assignee: SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY, LLC

Application No.: 09/981,556 Group No.: 3729

Filed: October 17, 2001 Examiner: Anthony Tugbang
For: METHOD TO REDUCE SERVO PATTERN RUNOUT ON A PREWRITTEN DISC

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# NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (37 C.F.R. § 41.31)

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner, mailed May 10, 2010, for a second time rejecting claims 1, 3, 5-9, 21-24.

#### 1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of other than a small entity.

#### 2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1), the fee for the Notice of Appeal is:

Other than a small entity \$540.00

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## 3. EXTENSION OF TERM

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R.1.136 apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

#### 4. TOTAL FEE DUE

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